



CHINA CLINICAL PRACTICUM

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1. Responsibility of the clinical training programme

Responsibility of the Institute:

The Institute is mainly responsible for the following:

- explanation of the China clinical practicum
- assistance in visa application
- co-operation between the hospital and the students
- assistance with arrangement of student's tuition, accommodation and meals, if needed, in the hospital

Responsibility of the Students:

Students are responsible for the following:

- own travel arrangements
- vaccinations
- visas application
- any travel in addition to the training location
- insurance relevant to the travel
- all costs associated with the China clinical practicum

2. Introduction to the recommended hospitals

Jiangxi University of Traditional Chinese Medicine (JUTCM) is located in Nanchang, the capital city of Jiangxi province of China. This University was established by the Chinese government in 1959, and has been authorized to offer the bachelor degree and master degree of TCM, and to accept overseas students.

JUTCM has already trained more than five hundred overseas students from 20 different countries. It has also established long-term collaborative relationships with medical educational institutions and organizations in France, Belgium, the United States, Sweden, Malaysia, Tunisia and Korea.

JUTCM has an affiliated hospital, which is a teaching hospital and also called Jiangxi Provincial Hospital of TCM. This hospital possesses various outpatient and inpatient departments, as well as an affiliated pharmaceutical manufacturer. It is an important basis not only for public medical service, but also for clinical training and scientific research.

The International Education College of JUTCM has academically collaborated with Sydney Institute of TCM (SITCM). The Affiliated Hospital of JUTCM becomes a clinical basis of SITCM for providing clinical training, such as intern practice for the SITCM students in accordance to VETAB requirement.

3. Duration of tuition and areas of study

Duration of the China clinical practicum: three (3) months or 410 hours;

Hours of tuition: 7 working hours / day, 5.5 days per week, or by the arrangement;

Areas of study: the main contents of training are included:

- Internal diseases (3 weeks – compulsory)
- Acupuncture and Moxibustion (3 weeks – compulsory)
- Gynaecology (1 week)
- Paediatrics (1 week)
- Traumatology and Orthopaedics (1 week)
- External diseases (skin diseases) (1 week)

However, students are allowed to choose two (2) months training in general practice including internal diseases and acupuncture and moxibustion, and one (1) month in a special area (as above) of interest that are based on negotiation between the students and the hospital.

4. Academic expectations during the China Clinical Practicum

On completion of the required three (3) months or 410 hours study, the hospital will award students with a Certificate of Traditional Chinese Medicine, which is required in the Diploma of Traditional Chinese Medicine. Students must:

- Complete the required three (3) months or 410 hours clinical practicum;
- Satisfy all clinical assessments (see attachment 1 & 2);
- Pay all fees relevant to the clinical internship.

5. Cost of tuition, accommodation and meals

Cost of tuition:

Students must pay the total cost of three-month tuition or pay monthly when arriving at the hospital. The tuition is based on the number of the students attended. The fee for intern training of SITCM students in 2008 is:

With translation service:

3 students one group:	RMB 4800 per person per month
2 students one group:	RMB 5500 per person one per month
1 student one group:	RMB 7000 per month

Without translation service:

3 students one group:	RMB 4800 per person one per month
2 students one group:	RMB 5000 per person one per month
1 student one group:	RMB 6500 per month

Accommodation:

There are a three-star hotel and a four-star hotel near to the hospital. The room usually has a bedroom with one double or two single bed(s), a bathroom, telephone, TV and other necessary facilities. Some rooms also have a restroom. JUTCM contracts with these hotels to offer a discount for their students and guests. A standard room in three-star hotel costs approximately 100 RMB per day, and four-star hotel is usually over 268 RMB per day (breakfast included). A new overseas student apartments located in JUTCM will be built up by the end of this year.

Meals:

Students have a choice of Chinese or western meals in the four-star hotel; however, there may be limited or lack of western meals in the three-star hotel. If students wish to dine elsewhere, there are many restaurants or food courts surrounding the hospital where students can dine at their own expense.

6. Flight arrangements

The Institute may assist students in arranging a bulk discount package for airfare to China. However, this will depend on demand, as many students may wish to take advantage of frequent flight points etc., which will ultimately alter the Institute buying power when it comes to discounts.

7. Visa and passport

Visa:

In order to enter China, students must make a visa application. The Institute, if necessary, will assist in arranging student visas.

The Consulate General of the People's Republic of China in Sydney is the official body who issues visas for travellers to China. In order to obtain a visa, students must prepare the following:

- 1) Complete the application form for intern practicum (Attachment 3);
- 2) Your passport;
- 3) One (1) passport photograph of you;
- 4) Complete an application form for the visa (Attachment 4);
- 5) See the requirements for a Visa Application to China (Attachment 5).

Passport:

All students require a current passport before departure.

8. Vaccinations

It is advisable that students prepare themselves for the China clinical practicum by ensuring they have appropriate vaccinations, some of these may include vaccines for:

- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B
- Tetanus
- Diphtheria

It is suggested that all students contact their medical doctors for suitable vaccination shots and advice prior to their departure to China.

9. Insurance & general health

It is advisable for students to consider an insurance policy (if you don't already have one) to cover their travel and medical needs during their stay in China. The Institute has a list of some insurance providers if students need to contact insurance companies. The insurance policy should cover at least the following:

- Medical expenses through injury or illness;
- Baggage loss / damage;
- Loss of credit cards, passport and other important papers / cards;
- Loss of essential clothing;
- Unforeseen circumstances.

All insurance companies vary in cost and range of cover. Therefore, students are advised to 'shop around' for the best deal they can acquire.

NB: Although you may have medical insurance in Australia, it is probable that it may not be valid in China. Please check with your insurance company prior to departing.

10. Climate expectations

There is never a guarantee of climate/weather expectation. JUTCM is located in the middle of southern China. June – August is summer, and December – February is winter. Generally, the temperature is around 33 – 38 degree in summer, and may be below zero in winter.

11. Currency exchange

Chinese dollar is RMB (Renminbi – yuan). As currency from country to country varies on a daily basis, students are advised to visit a bank or lending provider to keep up to date with the

current \$AUS - \$RMB. If cash is required for spending, you must visit a bank in the city as the hospital does not have provisions for currency exchange or banking facilities.

Traveller's Cheques are accepted by all banks and to a smaller extent in larger shopping outlets, but rarely in smaller shops. Credit cards and EFTPOS are accepted mainly in 5 star hotels, department stores and banks. (Most shops do not accept credit cards).

12. Chinese Language

The official language of China is the Mandarin (Standard Chinese), which is the very name of 'Hanyu' or 'Putonghua', belonging to Sino-Tibetan. Mandarin is the very name of 'Hanyu' or 'Putonghua', belonging to Sino-Tibetan.

English is a required course and universal education in China and has great popularity. Nowadays many Chinese people can speak basic English, especially the youth, students, and staff of service trades like hotels, restaurants, airlines, banks and post offices.

The language barrier now is not a problem at all for those that wish to come to China. Here we offer some basic expressions in Chinese for everyday use in the appendix.

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Sydney Institute of Traditional Chinese Medicine
China Clinical Practicum Evaluation Form

悉尼大学传统中医学临床实习评估表

主题 Subject:

部门 Department:

导师 Supervisor:

学生 Student:

学习期限 Duration of study: (从 from) __ / __ / 200__ (至 to) __ / __ / 200__

导师使用区 Supervisor use only

评价 Evaluation:

非常胜任 Highly competent

胜任 Competent

满意 Satisfactory

需要进一步培训 Needs further training

评论 Comments:

导师签名 Signature of supervisor: _____

日期 Date: __ / __ / 20__

Assessment Criteria

1. High Level of Competence

In order to achieve a high level of competence, students will demonstrate:

- Detailed collection of clinical manifestations and analysis of etiology and pathogenesis of clinical cases;
- The establishment of principles of treatment is correct;
- Demonstrate high level of skilled precision in the prescription of Chinese herbs;
- Demonstrate high level of skilled precision in the application of acupuncture to patients;
- Display creative ideas and or concepts in the differential diagnosis and treatment;
- Obtain excellent therapeutic effects on patients under their care.

2. Competent

A competent student will demonstrate:

- Comparatively detailed collection of clinical manifestations and analysis of etiology and pathogenesis of clinical cases;
- The establishment of principles of treatment is correct;
- Demonstrate competent skills in the prescription of Chinese herbs;
- Demonstrate competent skills in the application of acupuncture to patients;
- Obtain good therapeutic effects on patients under their care.

3. Satisfactory

A satisfactory student will demonstrate:

- Satisfactorily detail the collection of clinical manifestations and analysis of etiology and pathogenesis of clinical cases;
- The establishment of principles of treatment is satisfactory
- Demonstrate satisfactory skills in the prescription of Chinese herbs;
- Demonstrate satisfactory skills in the application of acupuncture to patients;
- Obtain reasonable therapeutic effects on patient under their care.

4. Need Further Training

A student who requires further training will demonstrate:

- Poorly detailed collection of clinical manifestations and analysis of etiology and pathogenesis of clinical cases;
- The establishment of principles of treatment is unsatisfactory;
- Demonstrates unsatisfactory skills in the prescription of Chinese herbs;
- Demonstrates unsatisfactory skills in the application of acupuncture to patients;
- Obtains unsatisfactory therapeutic effects on patients under their care.

Requirements of Visa Application to China

There are number of requirements and procedures to be followed for applying the appropriate Visa to China, information shown above are only guides, please refer to the Chinese Consulate website: <http://sydney.chineseconsulate.org/eng/hzqz/default.htm> for the latest changes and most updated information and procedures before applying for a Visa.

Chinese Consulate-General in Sydney (Jurisdiction throughout NSW)

Address: 39 Dunblane Street, Camperdown, NSW 2050

Ph: (02) 8595-8000, (02) 8595-8002

Fax: (02) 8595-8011

Website: <http://sydney.china-consulate.org/eng/>

Basic Expressions in Chinese

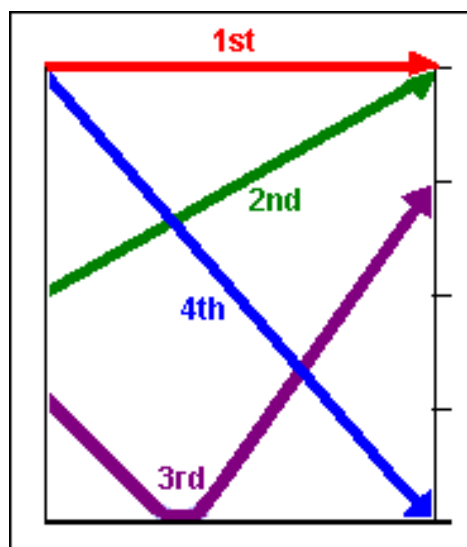
Chinese Phonetic Alphabet (Initial Consonant)

b (As in bay)	k (As in kit)	z (As in reads)
p (As in pay)	h (As in hat)	c (As in hats)
m (As in may)	j (As in jeep)	s (As in say)
f (As in far)	q (As in cheer)	w (As in way)
d (As in day)	x (As in she)	y (As in yes)
t (As in time)		zh (As in jade)
n (As in nay)		ch (As in church)
l (As in lay)		sh (As in shirt)
g (As in go)		r (As in leisure)

Chinese Tone Description

Tone	Mark	Description
1st	dā	High and level.
2nd	dá	Starts medium in tone, then rises to the top.
3rd	dǎ	Starts low, dips to the bottom, then rises toward the top.
4th	dà	Starts at the top, then falls sharp and strong to the bottom.
Neutral	da	Flat, with no emphasis.

Diagram helps visualize the pitches of the four tones



Orientation

Chinese Character	Chinese Pinyin	English Meaning
东	Dong1	East
西	Xi1	West
南	Nan2	South
北	Bei3	North
中	Zhong1	Middle
上	Shang4	Up
下	Xia4	Down
左	Zuo3	Left
右	You4	Right
前	Qian2	Before
后	Hou4	After
内 (凡)	Li3 or Nei4	Inside
外	Wai4	Outside

Geography

Chinese Character	Chinese Pinyin	English Meaning
山	Shan1	Mountain
谷	Gu3	Valley
江 (泗)	Jiang1 or He2	River
湖	Hu2	Lake
海	Hai3	Sea
湾	Wan1	Bay, Gulf
渠	Qu2	Dyke, Channel
峡	Xia2	Gorge, Canyon
街	Jie1	Street
路	Lu4	Road
巷	Xiang4	Alley, Lane

Numbers 1

Number	Chinese Pinyin
0	Ling2
1	Yi1
2	Er4
3	San1
4	Si4
5	Wu3
6	Liu4
7	Qi1
8	Ba1
9	Jiu3
10	Shi2
11	Shi2 Yi1
12	Shi2 Er4
20	Er4 Shi2
21	Er4 Shi2 Yi1
30	San1 Shi2

31	San1 Shi2 Yi1
100	Yi1 Bai3
101	Yi1 Bai3 Ling2 Yi1
110	Yi1 Bai3 Yi1 (Shi2)
115	Yi1 Bai3 Yi1 Shi2 Wu3
200	Er4 Bai3
201	Er4 Bai3 Ling
1,000	Yi1 Qian1
1,001	Yi1 Qian1 Ling2 Yi1
10,000	Yi1 Wan4
10,001	Yi1 Wan4 Ling2 Yi1
100,000	Shi2 Wan4
200,000	Er4 Shi2 Wan4
1,000,000	Yi1 Bai3 Wan4
2,000,000	Er4 Bai3 Wan4
10,000,000	Yi1 Qian1 Wan4
20,000,000	Er4 Qian1 Wan4 or Liang3 Qian1 Wan4
100,000,000	Yi1 Yi4
200,000,000	Er4 Yi4 or Liang3 Yi4
1,000,000,000	Shi2 Yi4
	Er4 Shi2 Yi4

Numbers 2

Chinese Character	Chinese Pinyin	English Meaning
百	Bai3	Hundred
原	Qian1	Thousand
万	Wan4	Ten Thousand
十万	Shi2 Wan4	A Hundred Thousand
百万	Bai3 Wan4	Million
千万	Qian1 Wan4	Ten Million
亿	Yi4	A Hundred Million
十亿	Shi2 Yi4	Billion
百亿	Bai3 Yi4	Ten Billion
千亿	Qian1 Yi4	A Hundred Billion

Pronoun

Chinese Character	Chinese Pinyin	English Meaning
你	Ni3	You
我	Wo3	I, Me
他	Ta1	He, Him
她	Ta1	She, Her
它	Ta1	It
你们	Ni2 Men	You (plural form)
我们	Wo2 Men	We, Us
她们	Ta1 Men	They, Them (female)
他们	Ta1 Men	They, Them (male)
它们	Ta1 Men	They, Them (Not personal)
这	Zhe4 Ge	This
那	Na4 Ge	That
这些	Zhe4 Xie1	These
那些	Na4 Xie1	Those

Polite Expressions

Chinese Character	Chinese Pinyin	English Meaning
请	Qing3	Please
抱歉	Lao2 Jia4	Excuse me
你好	Ni3 Hao3	Hello, Hi
谢谢	Xie4 Xie4	Thank you
不客气	Bu2 Yong4 Xie4	You're welcome
对不起	Dui4 Bu4 Qi3	Sorry
没关系	Mei2 Guan1 Xi4	It doesn't matter
再见	Zai4 Jian4	Goodbye

Transportation

Chinese Character	Chinese Pinyin	English Meaning
机场	Ji1 Chang3	Airport
火车站	Huo3 Che1 Zhan4	Railway Station
汽车站	Qi4 Che1 Zhan4	Bus Station
公共汽车站	Gong1 Jiao1 Che1 Zhan4	Public Bus Station
飞机	Fei1 Ji1	Airplane
火车	Huo3 Che1	Train
汽车	Qi4 Che1	Bus
公共汽车	Gong1 Jiao1 Che1	Public Bus
出租车	Chu1 Zu1 Che1	Taxi
自行车	Zi1 Xing2 Che1	Bicycle
游轮	You2 Chuan2	Cruise Ship
码头	Ma3 Tou2	Dock

City Facilities

Chinese Character	Chinese Pinyin	English Meaning
醮廳	Jiu3 Dian4	Hotel
飭駢	Can1 Guan3	Restaurant
庠難	Yi1 Yuan4	Hospital
鄉邕	You2 Ju2	Post Office
鎰袷	Yin2 Hang2	Bank
詁尻邕	Jing3 Cha2 Ju2	Police Office
喙廳	Shang1 Dian4	Shop
叱拔	Ce4 Suo3	Washroom
涓摺限	Xi3 Shou3 Jian1	
璉睦限	Wei4 Sheng1 Jian1	
仿廳	Shu1 Dian4	Book Store
仿	Shu1	Book
垌坚	Di4 Tu2	Map

Bargaining

Chinese	Pinyin	English
奶鳳毓?	Duo1 Shao3 Qian2 ?	How much is it?
妆越侷	Tai4 Gui4 Le	That's too expensive.
俱寸煥?	Pian2 Yi Dian3 ?	Could you give me a discount? Could you come down a little?

Self-introduction

Chinese	Pinyin	English
倅杏倅交咏害?	Ni3 Jiao4 Shen2 Me Ming2 Zi4 ?	What's your name ?
扭杏...	Wo3 Jiao4...	My name is.../ I'm...
倅警商毓侷?	Ni3 Shi4 Na3 Li3 Ren2?	Where are you from?
扭警...侷	Wo3 Shi4 ... Ren2.	I come from ...

Ask for Directions

Chinese	Pinyin	English
...恪交跌?	... Zen3 Me Zou3 ?	How can I get to ...?
扭軋吗...	Wo3 Yao4 Qu4...	I want to go to ...
...塋商毓?	...Zai4 Na3 Li3?	Where is the ...?
扭道蹋侷	Wo3 Mi2 Lu4 Le	I'm lost.
遠警扭盞垌垌	Zhe4 Shi4 Wo3 De Di4 Zhi3	Here's my address.

Willing Expressions

Chinese	Pinyin	English
扭軋...	Wo3 Yao4...	I want...
扭悞軋...	Wo3 Xiang3 Yao4...	I would like...
扭靜軋...	Wo3 Xu1 Yao4...	I need...

Other Expressions for Everyday Use

Chinese	Pinyin	English
侔脞床扭味?	Ni3 Neng2 Bang1 Wo3 Ma1?	Could you please help me ?
侔来泽来...?	Ni3 You3 Mei2 You3...?	Do you have ...?
劫焕灼?	Ji3 Dian3 Le ?	What's the time?
扭瘡灼 扭乩良杓	Wo3 Bing4 Le Wo3 Bu4 Shu1 Fu	I fell ill.
豔悞唛溢扭商鈇警治脞争庠寂难?	Qing3 Ni2 Gao4 Su4 Wo3 Na3 Li3 Shi4 JIANGXI Zhong1 Yi1 Xue2 Yuan4 ?	Excuse me, could you please tell me where is Jiangxi University of TCM?
豔悞唛溢扭商鈇来鎰袷吠佻掾毓?	Qing3 Nin2 Gao4 Su4 Wo3 Na3 Li3 Ke3 Yi3 Huan4 Qian2?	Excuse me, could you please tell me where I can exchange money?
豔悞唛溢扭商鈇来盞奇?	Qing3 Nin2 Gao4 Su4 Wo3 Na3 Li3 You3 Di1 Shi4?	Excuse me, could you please tell me where I can take a taxi?
豔仄扭吗治脞争庠寂难隱岑庠难。	Qing3 Dai4 Wo3 Qu4 JIANGXI Zhong1 Yi1 Xue2 Yuan4 Fu4 Shu3 Yi1 Yuan4	Could you please take me to the Affiliated hospital of Jiangxi University of TCM?
豔仄扭吗滚鈇厖仍滚蹋18吃争庠寂难至隳斷豚鄴。	Qing3 Dai4 Wo3 Qu4 Yuan4 Wan1 Lu4 18 Hao4, Wan4 Li3 Qu1	Could you please take me to No.18, Yunnan Rd, Wanli District, University of TCM.
豔悞唛溢扭商鈇来饬駢?	Qing3 Nin2 Gao4 Su4 Wo3 Na3 L3 You3 Can1 Guan3?	Excuse me, could you please tell me where is the nearest restaurant?